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"We believe comment is free, but facts are sacred."

Editor: M. GOVINDE GOWDA, M.A.

Mysuru, Friday 28th January 2022

City Professor is Fellow of Royal Society of Chemistry

Mysuru, Jan.28 (PM&DM)- Prof. S. Srikantaswamy, Coordinator, M. Tech in Materials Science, University of Mysore, has been selected as a Fellow of the prestigious London-based Royal Society of Chemistry.

Prof. Srikantaswamy

The Royal Society of Chemistry is one of the biggest and widely acknowledged global bodies in Chemical and Materials Science research, studies, innovations and discoveries.

Prof. Srikantaswamy has been selected for his outstanding contribution in the subject of Carbon Nanotypes and as well as his research in Materials Science and Environmental Science. He has carried out extensive studies in Carbon-based particles and other subjects such as Particle waste segregation, Chemical compositions in Materials, Photocatalycs, Biologicals, Electrical and Optical fibres, Metal formations and constituents.

Prof. Srikantaswamy had served as a Guest Faculty of Japan's Tokyo Institute of Technology and Research for two years. He has travelled extensively across the globe and has taken part in many international science events.

More than 160 research articles of his have been published in International journals and he has many books on Materials and Environmental Sciences to his credit.

During his decades long career with the University of Mysore, he has guided 18 students for Ph.D and currently has 8 Research students under him, according to a press release.

EDITOR'S BOTTOMLINE

TRUTH IS THE BIGGEST IMMUNITY BOOSTER: ***Spiritually speaking, if we have a similar experience over and over again, it often means that we have not learnt the required lesson from it the very first time. Every incident takes place to impart some teaching, or to cut our previous*** *karmas.* ***With the COVID-19 pandemic waves coming back again and again, Nature seems to be asking us to transform, go back to being our natural self, and embrace truth in our actions, thoughts and deeds. Now is the time to prepare to be a*** *sahi* ***human – real human; being*** *saral, sahaj,* ***and*** *samanya* ***– uncomplicated, easy and normal, the way Nature wants us to be. And by shedding all our acquired mannerisms, we can grow to become a Being of Light.***

Let us be centred, cleansed and come into our natural *swaroop,* ***form, so that Nature can work upon us. Nature appears to be determined to remove all imperfections that have seeped into our system. It can protect and save all who are supportive of it and become its medium, behaving according to its design. They will automatically get right messages, right help, right medicines, everything at the right time.***

To be in sync with Nature, we can follow the path of *satya, karma, prem,* ***and*** *prakash* ***– truth, action, love and light.*** *Satya* ***means being one on all planes –*** *mansa, vacha, karmana* ***– thoughts, words and actions, in other words, say what you think and do the same. While we take vaccines to build our immunity against Coronavirus at the physical level, truth can boost our immunity at the soul level.***

— Meena Om in The Times of India

NEWS SPARKLERS

Couple hosts reception in Metaverse

Tamil Nadu: A couple from Tamil Nadu is all set to host their wedding reception in Metaverse. Dinesh S P and Janaganandhini Ramaswamy will get married on the first Sunday on February in Tamil Nadu's Sivalingapuram village - but their reception will be hosted digitally. The virtual venue for their Hogwarts-themed reception, which will be attended by friends and family members from across the world. Dinesh is a project associate with IIT Madras came up with the idea of having a Metaverse wedding reception.

Metaverse is a virtual reality world where users can 'live' and interact with others through digital avatars. Dinesh on Twitter shared a short video what his wedding reception would look like, touting it as "India's first Metaverse marriage. Since both Dinesh and his fiancée Janaganandhini are Potterheads, their wedding reception will be inspired from the Harry Potter universe. The bride and groom will have avatars dressed in traditional clothes, while guests will be given login details where they can choose an avatar and enter the reception. During the one-hour reception, they will be able to interact with other guests.

Indonesian lady lives with 1,500 pet spiders

Indonesia: 28-year old Ming Cu, woman from Indonesia has been collecting tarantulas since 2010. But now she has 1,500-odd spiders in her house. She even started out a website called Spider Lover Pet Shop to sell the unusual pets online in 2012, and has a large base of consumers.

Cu's obsession with tarantulas began when she found a beautifully coloured tarantula in her backyard. She started storing her pets for the past seven years and has spent over $55,000 on tarantulas. Cu also breeds the eight-legged creature and admits there are difficulties. She keeps her hairy pets in jars and glass terrariums and sources them from around the world. Her bizarre obsession has also earned her fame and is known as "Queen Tarantula", a nickname she's quite proud of it.

HEALTH CAPSULE

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By Kavya J - Department of Nutrition & Dietetics
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KSOU gets 'Best Ranking'

Mysuru, Jan. 28 (RK&DM)- The city-based Karnataka State Open University (KSOU) has bagged the best ranking for quality, according to an assessment by Centre for Internal Quality Assurance (CIQA), the nodal body to co-ordinate the inter-functionality among all the departments of DDE (Directorate of Distance Education). The KSOU has got the ranking for its performance in 2018-19 when Prof. D. Shivalingaiah was the Vice-Chancellor.

KSOU got 299.85 marks out of 400 (74.96 percent) in the ranking assessment. Universities which score more than 70 percent are accorded rankings.

The KSOU got 79.4 out of 80 marks for workload management, 36 out of 40 for style of functioning, 38 out of 80 for exams, 20 out of 20 for admissions and fee collection, 19.5 out of 20 for teaching quality, 9 out of 10 for internal quality and 26 out of 40 for website information and updates, according to CIQA Director Dr. S. Niranjanraje Urs.

REALLY...?

- ***Musical Pillars in Hampi: A standout amongst the most appealing structures is the Vittala Temple. This antiquated temple is famous for its marvellous architecture. It is also known for another extraordinary architectural marvel – 56 melodic columns or the musical pillars. These pillars create melodic sounds when tapped delicately. The most intriguing thing is that the columns are constructed using stones. The melodic mainstays of Vittala Temple are also called SAREGAMA pillars.***
- ***Hampi was the anglicised version of Kannada Hampe. Hampi was often known as Pampa-kshetra, Kishkinda-kshetra or Bhaskara-kshetra which were derived from the word 'Pampa' (which is an old name of the Tungabhadra River).***

LAUGHTER THE BEST MEDICINE

Pappu called FM radio and said: *I have found a purse with Rs. 15,000, a credit card and an ID card of Mr. Ram, New road, Kathmandu.*
RJ: *How honest, so you want to return his purse?*
Pappu: *No, I just wanted to dedicate a sad song for him!!*

TODAY'S CURRENCY RATE

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COVID-19 UPDATE - MYSURU

	JANUARY 26	JANUARY 27
Day's Positive Cases	2,797	2,587
Total Positive Cases	2,11,426	2,14,013
Day's Discharges	4,054	4,995
Total Discharges	1,92,638	1,97,633
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Total Deaths	2,460	2,465
Total Active Cases	16,328	13,915

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COVID measures: DHO inspects city schools

2,013 active paediatric cases reported in Mysuru District; 14 children hospitalised; 40 kids in CCCs; 1,959 children in home isolation

Mysuru, Jan. 28 (RK&KS)- In a bid to check the health condition of students, teachers and staff and the COVID precautionary measures taken at schools, District Health Officer (DHO) Dr. K.H. Prasad and team visited various institutions in city today morning.

The team of health officials inspected NPS at Vijayanagar and Rotary West School at Saraswathipuram. They not only inspected the institutions to check if Government guidelines are being followed but also interacted with students and teachers.

The DHO told *SOM* that during inspection, they sought data pertaining to number of students affected with the virus and those with symptoms. Dr. Prasad said that if the infection rate is high in schools, that particular school would be closed for a few days as per Government guidelines.

DHO Dr. K.H. Prasad interacting with a student at Rotary West School in Saraswathipuram this morning.

The team explained to the school authorities about the precautions to be taken and also explained how to convince the parents to send their children to school by taking them into confidence. It may be recalled as daily COVID-19 cases began to increase, Deputy Commissioner Dr. Bagadi Gautham had declared closure of schools in Mysuru city and taluk from Jan. 12 as a precautionary measure. Physical classes from LKG to Class X including residential, Government, aided and unaided remained suspended.

(See DHO on page 9)

Former CM BSY's grand-daughter ends life

Bengaluru, Jan. 28- Dr. Soundarya (30), grand-daughter of former Chief Minister and senior BJP leader B.S. Yediyurappa (BSY), reportedly committed suicide by hanging self at her residence here this morning.

Dr. Soundarya, who was a Physician at a reputed Hospital in Bengaluru, is the daughter of BSY's second daughter Padmavathi.

Dr. Soundarya was married to Dr. Neeraj, also a Physician, a couple of years ago and the couple have a child, it is learnt.

Dr. Soundarya residing at an apartment near Mount Carmel College in Vasanthnagar, was found hanging at her residence this morning, following which she was rushed to a nearby hospital, where she died minutes later, according to sources.

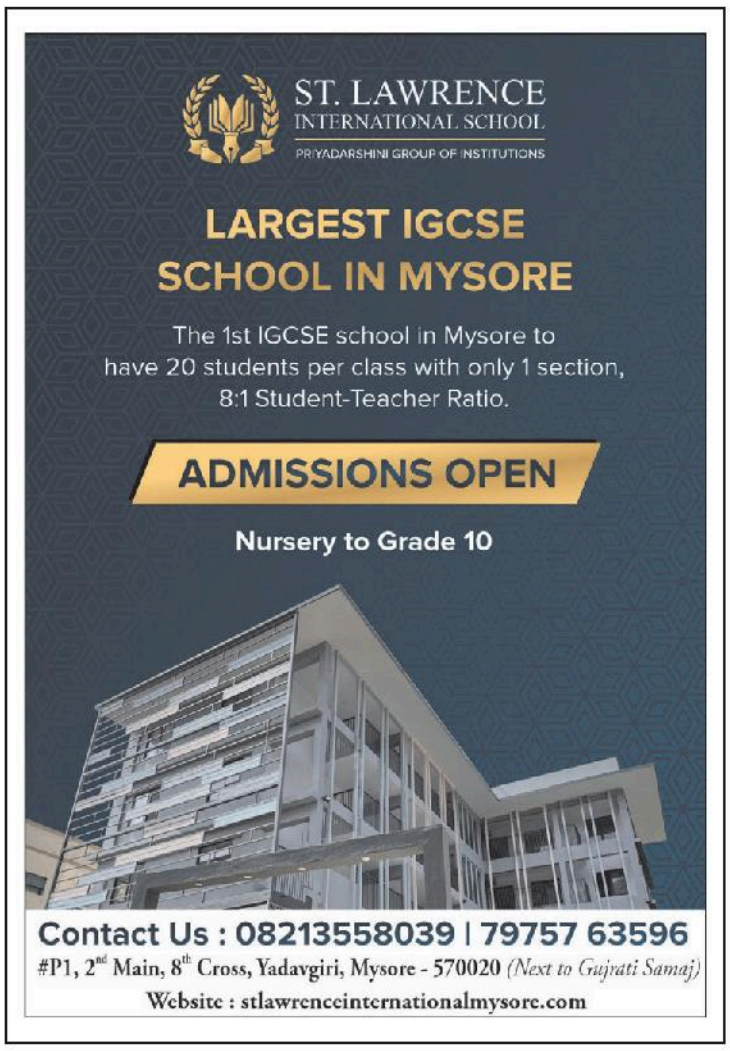
High Grounds Police visited the spot and the body has been shifted to Bowring Hospital.

Food Zone to come up atop Chamundi Hill

Mysuru, Jan. 28 (MTY&DM)- Setting in motion a slew of development works across Chamundeshwari Assembly segment, Mysuru-Kodagu MP Pratap Simha and Chamundeshwari MLA G.T. Devegowda (GTD) this morning performed *guddali puja* for a number of works at various places coming under the Constituency.

Pratap Simha and GTD launched the works for the Rs. 3.81 crore Food Zone atop Chamundi Hill. Though the Food Zone project was officially inaugurated by the then Chief Minister B.S. Yediyurappa in Sept. 2019, the project ran into hurdles due to COVID crisis and objections by various groups. But today, the ambitious project was kickstarted with the MP and the MLA performing *guddali puja*.

(See FOOD ZONE on page 9)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NEWS BRIEFS

Shivanubhava Dasoha

The 285th Shivanubhava Dasoha lecture, held under the aegis of Sri Shivarathreeshwara Religious Endowment on the last Saturday of each month, will be held online on Jan. 29 at 6 pm. Suttur Seer Sri Shivarathri Deshikendra Swamiji will grace the occasion. Dr. Vishwanath of Jawaharlal Nehru University will deliver talk on the topic 'Devara Dasimayyana Vachanagalu.' Those interested may log on to http://Youtube.com/c/JSSMahavidyapeethaonline; https://www.facebook.com JSSMVP.

Story-telling

Kalasuruchi has organised "Kathe Kelona Banni - 708" tomorrow between 4.30 pm and 5.30 pm. B. Balakrishnaiah, retired teacher and State Resource Person, Mysuru, will narrate stories to children at Suruchi Rangamane, 476, Chitrabhanu Road, Kuvempunagar. [Ph:0821-2541795].

Awareness Prog.

The Department Of Labour has organised a Divisional level awareness programme on Implementation of Various Acts at Maharani Government PU College on Lakshmi Vilas Road in city tomorrow (Jan. 29) at 2.30 pm, according to a press release from Assistant Labour Commissioner.

No Meat Sale

The Mysuru City Corporation (MCC) has ordered closure of all slaughter houses and meat shops in MCC limits on Jan. 30 on account of Sarvodaya Day, acccording to a press from MCC Commissioner G. Lakshmikantha Reddy.

WATER LEVEL

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Maximum	:	124.80 feet
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Yesterday	:	120.34 feet
Inflow	:	1,168 cusecs
Outflow	:	4,250 cusecs

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Maximum	:	2,284.00 feet
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Inflow	:	188 cusecs
Outflow	:	400 cusecs

HARANGI DAM

Maximum	:	2,859.00 feet
Today	:	2,856.59 feet
Inflow	:	193 cusecs
Outflow	:	50 cusecs

Mother-son among six persons missing from city

Noor Hajira

Yousuf Uman Khan

Syed Younus

Shankar

Mysuru, Jan. 28 (KS)- In separate cases, a woman and her son are among six persons who have gone missing from city.

In the first case, a 35-year-old woman and her three-and-a-half-year-old son, who left their house on Dec. 11, 2021 at about 8.30 pm, have since gone missing.

The missing woman and her son are Noor Hajira and Mohammed Yousuf Umar Khan, residents of Rajivnagar 1st Stage. Noor hajira is 5 ft. tall, oval faced, normal built, wheatish complexioned, speaks Kannada and Urdu and was wearing a burka, when she left her home.

Mohammed Yousuf is 3 ft. tall, oval faced, wheatish complexioned and speaks Urdu.

In the second case, 54-year-old K.H. Syed Younus, who left his house on Jan. 14 at about 9 am, has since gone missing.

He is 5.2 ft. tall, oval faced, normal built, wheatish complexioned, speaks Urdu and was wearing a cream coloured full arm shirt and brown pant at the time of going missing.

In the third case, 40-year-old Shankar, a resident of Ganesh Nagar, who left his house on Oct. 2, 2021 at about 9 am, has since gone missing.

He is 5.4 ft. tall, oval faced, normal built, oily red complexioned, sports white beard, speaks Kannada and was wearing a black coloured full arm shirt and blue pant at the time of going missing.

Those having any information about the above missing persons, may contact Udayagiri Police Station on Ph: 0821-2418309 or call Police Control Room on Ph: 0821-2418339.

In the fourth case, 37-year-old Nanjundaswamy, a resident of Hosahundi village, who left his house on Jan. 20, saying that he was going to Tamil Nadu for collection, has since gone missing.

He is 5.6 ft. tall, wheatish complexioned, normal built, has the word 'AVVA' tattooed on his right arm and was wearing a white coloured half arm shirt, black pant and blue jerkin at the time of going missing.

In the fifth case, 24-year-old Nagesh of Lalithadripura, who left his house on his scooter on Jan. 25 at about 1.30 pm saying that he was going to Mysuru city, has since gone missing.

Nagesh is 5.9 ft. tall, wheatish complexioned, normal built, has a mole in the middle of his neck and was wearing a blue T-Shirt and black pant at the time of going missing.

Those having any information about Nanjundaswamy and Nagesh, may contact Mysuru South Police Station on Ph: 0821-2444955 or call the District Police Control Room on Ph: 0821-2444800, according to a press release.

Elderly man killed as KSRTC bus hits

Mysuru, Jan. 28 (RK&KS)- A 65-year-old man, who was hit by a KSRTC City Bus, has succumbed to injuries at the hospital yesterday.

The deceased is Vishwanath, a retired University of Mysore employee and a resident of Hullina Beedhi in K.R. Mohalla.

Yesterday at about 5 pm, Vishwanath was crossing the road near Siddappa Square, when a City Bus belonging to Sathagalli Bus Depot, rammed into him injuring him seriously.

Though Vishwanath was rushed to K.R. Hospital, he is said to have succumbed to injuries.

K.R. Traffic Police Station Inspector Manjunath, who has registered a case in this regard, has seized the bus and is investigating.

Jail inmate dies at K.R. Hospital

Mysuru, Jan. 28 (RK&KS)- A convict, who was serving jail term in a ganja case, has died at K.R. Hospital yesterday afternoon.

The deceased is Kenchegowda (46), of Kalagavadi village in Malavalli taluk.

Kenchegowda, who was convicted in a ganja case, was undergoing jail term in Mandya Jail. As he complained of illness, he was transferred to Mysuru Jail and shifted to Jayadeva Hospital on Jan. 11. He was shifted to K.R. Hospital on Jan. 17, where he breathed his last at about 1.45 pm yesterday. Mandi Police have registered a case.

Unidentified bodies found

Mysuru, Jan. 28 (KS)- In separate cases, the Mysuru Railway Police have found bodies of unidentified persons in their jurisdiction and have registered cases.

In the first case, the Railway Cops have found a body of an unidentified man aged about 45 years near Maddur Railway Station.

The deceased is 5.2 ft. tall, normal built, dark complexioned and was found wearing a blue coloured full arm shirt, red T-Shirt, grey coloured pant and blue shorts.

In the second case, a body of an unidentified youth, aged about 20 years was found between Yaliyur and Byadarahalli Railway Stations.

The deceased is 5.2 ft. tall, normal built, dark complexioned and was wearing a cream and snuff coloured T-Shirts and brown shorts.

In the third case, the Railway Police found a body of an unidentified man aged about 40 years between Hanakere and Maddur Railway Stations.

The deceased is 5.6 ft. tall, wheatish complexioned, normal built and was wearing a white coloured full arm shirt and blue jeans pant.

The Railway Police, who have registered cases, have urged the kith and kin of the above deceased persons, if any, to contact Mysuru Railway Police Station on Ph: 0821- 2516579, according to a press release.

Obituary

Krishnappa

Mysuru, Jan. 28- Krishnappa (70), a resident of Ganiganakoppal, Sosale hobli in T. Narasipur taluk, passed away on Wednesday.

He leaves behind his wife Puttathayamma, son Jagadish, three daughters and a host of relatives and friends.

Last rites were performed at Ganiganakoppal yesterday, according to family sources.

Nohan Ravindra Babu

Nohan Ravindra Babu (58), a resident of Bogadi, passed away yesterday in city.

He leaves behind his wife, two sons and a host of relatives and friends.

Funeral was held at the CSI Cemetery on Mahadevapura Road in Gandhinagar this morning, according to family sources.

Kamalamma

Kamalamma (65), wife of Vokkaligara Srirama Mandira President Kalappa and a resident of N.R. Mohalla, passed away yesterday in city.

She leaves behind five sons, three daughters, grandchildren and a host of relatives and friends.

Last rites were performed at N.R. Mohalla Burial Grounds this afternoon, according to family sources.

Sathyalakshmi

Sathyalakshmi (66), a resident of Nivedithanagar 2nd Stage, passed away yesterday in city.

She leaves behind her husband, one son, two daughters and a host of relatives and friends, according to family sources.

Kamalamma Honnalagere

Kamalamma Honnalagere (88), a resident of Kuvempunagar, passed away on Thursday at her residence following brief illness.

She leaves behind four daughters, one son and a host of relatives and friends.

Last rites were performed at the foot of Chamundi Hill yesterday, according to family sources.

Mohammed Aftab Ahmed

Mohammed Aftab Ahmed (48), a resident of Nazarbad, passed away on Jan. 25.

He leaves behind his wife, two children and a host of relatives and friends.

Namaz-e-Janaza and burial took place on the same day at the Muslim Burial Grounds near Tipu Circle, according to family sources.

VOICE OF THE READER

Missing persons case:
Serious thought needed

Sir,

It has become a regular feature in *SOM* to find news regarding missing persons. What is surprising is the persons who go missing are from all age groups — from children, youths, housewives to aged persons. It is a very serious issue, I suppose.

How can people of all age groups go missing? One or two cases may be genuine. Is there a mafia?

There is no point in simply publishing the news regarding missing persons. You must publish when they are traced also.

This matter should be dealt seriously and should be taken up with appropriate authorities to curb this and to nab the bad elements. In this regard, I request you to publish an article with statistics and make the appropriate Police force to jump into action and apprehend the persons responsible.

— H.K. Venkatakrishnan
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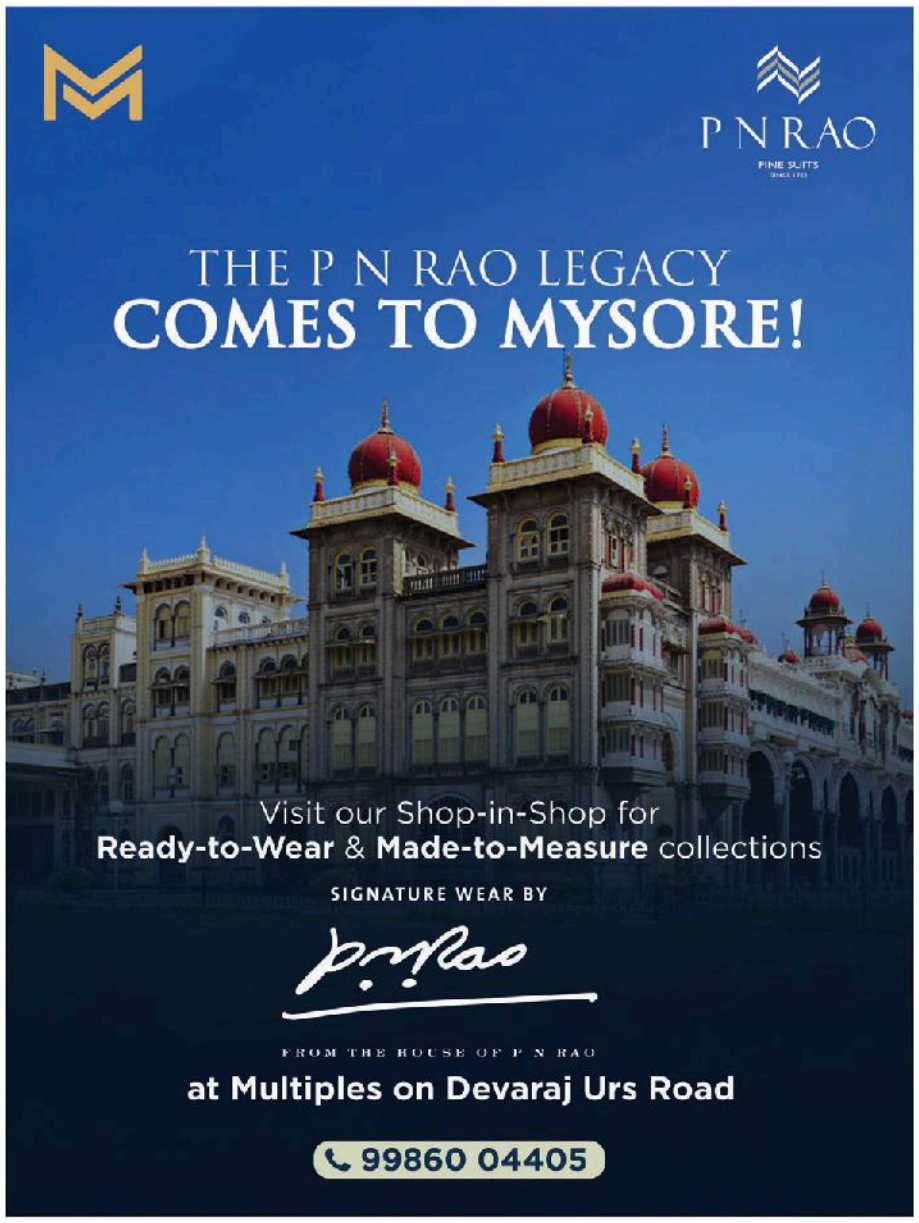

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Bar-Headed Geese from Mongolia come calling

Hadinaru Lake in Nanjangud Taluk teeming with banded migratory birds

Mysuru, Jan. 28 (MK&BCT)- The picturesque Hadinaru freshwater lake near Nanjangud is teeming with the banded bird from Mongolia — the Bar-Headed Geese and the migratory birds are pulling villagers, tourists and crowds like a magnet. So much so that photographers from Mysuru are heading towards Hadinaru village to capture a few splendid moments with the winged beauties. They just waddle about and feed on the lush green vegetation, making it a perfect photo op.

The bar-headed goose (Anser indicus) is a pale grey bird, easily distinguished from any of the other grey geese of the genus Anser by black bars on its head, yellow-orange beak and same coloured legs. A mid-sized goose, it measures 71 to 76 centimetres in length and weighs about 1.80 to 3.2 kg. Their head, white in colour, is marked with a pair of U-shaped bands crossing the nape. The upper band that starts behind the eyes is thicker than the lower band.

Other characteristics are a long neck and deep chest. Both the genders have similar looks, though the males are slightly larger and heavier than females. They are social birds that breed in Central Asia and winters in South Asia, migrating south from Tibet, Kazakhstan, Mongolia and Russia before crossing the Himalayas.

Apart from Hadinaru Lake, these birds have also come to the backwaters of the Krishna Raja Sagar Dam and in the Hadinaru Lake alone, over 400 birds are taking their seasonal break. They come from Mongolia and cross the Himalayas on one of the most iconic high-altitude migrations in the world.

Bar-Headed Geese can be found anywhere from Mongolia to the Tibetan plateau in the summer, where they raise young before the majority take long flights South to the Indian subcontinent in the autumn and return again the following spring.

They fly at altitudes that are extremely challenging and their migratory path between India and Mongolia has been tracked by satellite telemetry crossing the Himalayan mountains. They migrate in flocks and nest in colonies of thousands. While flying, these birds maintain V-shaped formations and they beautifully maintain spacing and communicate with each other visually and vocally.

These birds are a vibrant species that have electrified Hadinaru Lake with their chorus of clucks. With the black bars on their head and the pattern on their neck, the bird is quite a sight to behold, charming not only birders but also the villagers of Hadinaru and surrounding hamlets.

These annual guests from Mongolia are treasured by the villagers of Hadinaru who do not disturb their habitat in any way. Though villagers may make use of the Lake to provide water to their cattle and livestock, they make sure these birds are not disturbed. They make every effort to ensure that the seasonal birds stay in peace.

Bar-Headed Geese are primarily herbivores and they feed mainly on grasses that surround lakes and other small water bodies. They also eat corn, barley, rice, wheat, and occasionally munch on molluscs, insects and feed on crustaceans. They also feed on paddy when the farmers start preparing their paddy fields during the process of sowing. Paddy shoots attract them in large numbers.

[Pics. by M.N. Lakshminarayana Yadav]

Covaxin, Covishield receive drug regulator's nod for conditional market authorisation

New Delhi, Jan. 28 (UNI) - Two COVID-19 vaccines — Covaxin by Bharat Biotech and Covishield by the Serum Institute of India — have received "conditional market authorisation" from India's drug regulator, Union Health Ministry announced on Thursday.

The approval was granted under the New Drugs and Clinical Trials Rules, 2019 after recommendations from the Subject Expert Committee (SEC) under the drug regulatory authority to upgrade the status for the vaccines from restricted use in emergency situations to grant of new drug permission with conditions in the adult population on Jan. 19, the Ministry informed.

The terms and conditions for the approval state both the firms to produce safety analysis and overseas clinical trial data for their vaccines every six months to the drug regulator, product supply in Government-approved centres, doses record on Co-WIN and monitoring of all adverse events.

"The vaccine shall be supplied for programmatic setting and all vaccinations done within the country to be recorded on CoWIN platform and Adverse Event Following Immunisation [AEFI], Adverse Event of Special Interest [AESI] shall continue to be monitored," it added.

"The firm shall submit the safety data including AEFI and AESI with due analysis on a six-monthly basis or as and when available, whichever is earlier as per NDCT Rules, 2019," the Ministry said further.

The "Conditional Market Authorization" approved for the two vaccines is a new category of market authorisation that has emerged during the current global pandemic of COVID-19. The approval pathways through this route are fast-tracked with certain conditions to enhance the access to certain pharmaceuticals for meeting the emerging needs of drugs or vaccines.

Covaxin and Covishield were granted Emergency Use Authorisation (EUA) on Jan. 3 and were introduced in the nationwide COVID-19 vaccination program which was launched on Jan. 16 2021. Till date, more than 160 crore doses have been administered.

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Field Marshal K.M. Cariappa remembered

Mysuru, Jan. 28 (RKB&DM)- Mysuru-Kodagu MP Pratap Simha said that unlike many other top Army Officers who preferred to lead their retired life in major cities, Field Marshal K.M. Cariappa chose to lead his retired life in his native Kodagu amidst nature's splendour and beauty.

He was speaking at the 123rd birth anniversary celebrations of Field Marshal K.M. Cariappa, OBE, jointly organised by Kodava Samaja, Mysuru, Kodava Samaja Cultural and Sports Club, Mysuru and Field Marshal K.M. Cariappa Fans Club, at Field Marshal K.M. Cariappa Circle at the junction of JLB Road and Hunsur Road here this morning.

Pointing out that it was not easy for becoming the first Commander of the Indian Army post-Independence, Simha said that Field Marshal Cariappa, along with Gen. K.S. Thimayya should be credited for showing how a country's borders can be secured by unitedly taking together all the soldiers.

Terming Field Marshal Cariappa as a true *'Veeraputra'*, he said that Cariappa was also a very able leader and brought many laurels for the country.

Chamundeshwari MLA G.T. Devegowda, in his address, said that today, the entire country is paying tributes to Field Marshal K.M. Cariappa. Recalling the contribution of Kodavas in defence sector, he said that it is the pride of the nation that Kodava is home to many war heroes.

Former Mayor H.N. Srikantaiah recalled how Metropole Circle was renamed as Field Marshal K.M. Cariappa Circle when he was the city Mayor in 1999 and the current Chamaraja MLA L. Nagendra a Corporator then.

Pointing out that as Mayor, he had put forward a proposal to the then Education Minister A.H. Vishwanath to rename the Circle as Field Marshal K.M. Cariappa Circle, to which Vishwanath readily agreed, he said that thereafter a resolution was passed at an MCC Council meeting to this effect, following which the Circle was officially named as Field Marshal K.M.Cariappa Circle. He further said that a statue of Cariappa was also proposed at the Circle when he was the Mayor.

To mark the occasion, the statue of the Field Marshal was garlanded and offered floral tributes by the dignitaries.

Former Mayor M.J. Ravikumar, Corporators M.U. Subbaiah and Pramila Bharath, Rangayana Director Addanda C. Cariappa, Mysuru Kodava Samaja President Mechanda M. Shashi Ponnappa, Vice-President Malachira M. Ponnappa, Hon. Secretary Mukkatira B. Jeevan, Joint Secretary Appanderanda Tara Somaiah, Treasurer Machimada P. Nanaiah, Kodava Samaja Cultural and Sports Club President Kuttimada D. Muthappa, Secretary Mechanda S. Bopanna, Field Marshal K.M. Cariappa Fans Club President Nayakanda M. Thimmaiah, Shri Kaveri Kodagu Mahila Sangha President Ponjanda Lovely Appaiah, former Mysuru Kodava Samaja Presidents Mechanda M. Karumbaiah, Poyyettira S. Ganapathy and Ballyamanda M. Nanaiah, Philanthropists Kuttimada D. Cariappa and Pudiyokkada Praveen Chengappa and others were present.

SOME FACTS

1. Field Marshal K.M. Cariappa took over as the First Army Chief on Jan. 15, 1949, so Army Day is celebrated on this day.

2. Field Marshal K.M. Cariappa relinquished his appointment on Jan. 14, 1953, so the Veterans Day is celebrated on this day.

3. City-based VeKare Ex-Servicemen Trust (VKET) President Mandetira N. Subramani had urged the District Administration in August 2006, to install a life-size bronze statue of the Field Marshal at Metropole Circle.

'Ascendent' wins Air Force Trophy

Air Marshal S.K. Indoria, AVSM VM, Senior Air Staff Officer, Southern Air Command, Indian Air Force, seen presenting "The Air Force Trophy" to C.D. Monnappa, trainer of 'Ascendent' which won the event in the Mysore Winter Races held in city yesterday. The winning horse, owned by Cherian Abraham, was ridden by Jockey Arshad Alam. Others seen are MRC Chairman, Stewards and Committee Members.

MCC Council meeting cancelled for want of quorum

Mysuru, Jan. 28 (SBD&DM)- The MCC Council meeting on Thursday afternoon, which was said to be the last one for the incumbent Mayor Sunanda Palanetra, was cancelled due to lack of quorum, with many Corporators staying away from the meeting. The meeting was scheduled to discuss waiver of interest on water bill dues, installation of gas pipeline and such other key issues. The meeting commenced as scheduled at 3 pm with Mayor Sunanda Palanetra taking her seat.

But only two Corporators were present, with Corporators from the ruling party too abstaining from the meeting. After waiting for a couple of minutes, the Mayor cancelled the meeting.

MP rushes to meeting

MP Pratap Simha, who rushed to the MCC Office after learning about the cancellation of the Council meeting, questioned the Mayor why the meeting was cancelled in a hurry.

Pointing out that the Mayor could have waited for some more time, Simha argued that he wanted to take the confidence of everyone in the implementation of LPG gas pipeline that is aimed at supplying gas at the doorstep of every household.

Contending that the gas pipeline is for the benefit of people, he observed that some Corporators are being misled about the project.

MP holds closed door meeting

After the Council meeting was cancelled, Mayor Sunanda held a closed door meeting with a few Corporators, both from the ruling party and the Opposition, the MP, the Council Secretary and MCC Commissioner. During the meeting, Pratap Simha sought another meeting, to which the MCC Commissioner G. Lakshmikantha Reddy said it was not possible as at least a 7-day notice should be issued to all Corporators before a meeting and the powers of the current Mayor to convene the meeting would end in January.

Meeting was cancelled to uphold the dignity of Mayor post

Later speaking to press persons, Mayor Sunanda Palanetra said that the meeting was cancelled in order to uphold the dignity of the Mayor's Office. Contending that the Corporators would not have attended the meeting even if she waited for a couple of hours, she observed that the Corporators should have attended the meeting out of respect for the Office of the Mayor.

Noting that she could not understand why the Corporators failed to turn up, she said that she got the opportunity to hold only two Council meetings. Stating that this was her last Council meeting as Mayor, Sunanda Palanetra said she believes that it was her misfortune that the meeting was cancelled without discussing any key issues.

MP hits out against BJP MLA

Upset over the cancellation of the Council meeting, BJP MP Pratap Simha lashed out against his own party MLA S.A.Ramdas for writing letters against gas pipeline. Alleging that the MLA had played a key role in ensuring that the MCC Council meeting lacked quorum, Simha wondered why the MLA was objecting to Prime Minister Modi's ambitious project.

Maintaining that the MLA had objected to legacy waste disposal at Vidyaranyapuram waste management plant, Simha said that there was no point in objecting to LPG gas pipeline, which is an ambitious project of the Centre. Stating that the people of Mysuru are watching what the elected representatives, including himself and Ramdas are doing, the MP said that above all, Goddess Chamundeshwari is there to decide on what is right or wrong.

Contending that it was he who first argued for waiver of interest on water bill dues and issuance of B-Khata for Revenue Layouts, Simha warned against doing politics in respect of the Prime Minister's schemes.

Replying to allegations that as MP he was not batting for giving representation to Mysuru district in the State Cabinet, Simha said that he would not like to talk on issues other than development.

Arguing that all the 224 MLAs want to become Ministers, he said that it is the BJP high command that decides on Cabinet berths and as such he has nothing to say on the issue.

COVID measures: DHO inspects city schools

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But a day after Primary and Secondary Education Minister B.C. Nagesh announced that Schools (classes 1 to 10) be allowed to open across the State, barring Bengaluru, DC Dr. Bagadi Gautham on Jan. 22 ordered re-opening of Schools from Jan. 24, by strictly adhering to COVID appropriate behaviour.

As on Jan. 27, there are a total of 13,915 active cases in Mysuru district out of which 11,902 are active adult cases and 2,013 active paediatric cases. Out of 335 persons who are hospitalised, 321 are adults and 14 children.

DISTRICT MINISTER'S MEETING

On Jan. 26, District Minister S.T. Somashekar, after taking part in the Republic Day celebrations, held a meeting with officials of the District Administration and the Health Department at Government Guest House and asked them to take steps to distribute home isolation kits.

Speaking to the media later, the District Minister said that though the number of COVID-19 positive cases were increasing, the number of affected persons being hospitalised or admitted to COVID Care Centres (CCCs) was very less, which is a good sign.

Pointing out that the number of affected persons opting for home isolation was more, the Minister said that this would decrease the pressure at hospitals. He has instructed the officials concerned to see that home isolation kits reach Police personnel, teachers, students, health workers and others, who are affected.

Stating that the number of daily COVID positive cases may reach 1,500 to 2,000 in the coming 10 days, Somashekar said that the CCCs were ready and 6,000 COVID tests were being conducted daily. Only those with symptoms and primary contacts of those who had tested positive were being tested, he said.

Mayor Sunanda Palanetra, MLA L. Nagendra, Deputy Commissioner Dr. Bagadi Gautham, DHO Dr. K.H. Prasad, MCC Commissioner G. Lakshmikantha Reddy, City Police Commissioner Dr. Chandragupta, Additional DC Dr. B.S. Manjunathaswamy, ZP CEO A.M. Yogesh and others were present at the meeting.

Food Zone to come up atop Chamundi Hill

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The duo also performed 'guddali puja' for concretisation of ST Colony Road and construction of drainage along the road atop Chamundi Hill taken up at a cost of Rs.80 lakh; various development works at Tavarekatte at the foothill at a cost of Rs.40 lakh and construction of a 4.3 km long road at Gorur village under Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana at a cost of Rs.2.59 crore. The MP and the MLA were also scheduled to launch a host of other developmental works at different villages during the day.

C.M. Ibrahim to quit Congress

Bengaluru, Jan.28- Senior Congress leader C.M. Ibrahim, who is considered close to former Chief Minister Siddharamaiah, has hinted at quitting the Congress, a day after the Congress high command late on Wednesday announced that veteran Congress leader B.K. Hariprasad would be the Opposition Leader in the Legislative Council.

C.M. Ibrahim

Ibrahim, one of the senior-most members of the Legislative Council, was eyeing the post of Opposition Leader, which fell vacant following the retirement of S.R.Patil.

Lashing out at the Congress and former CM Siddharamaiah after being denied the post, Ibrahim, speaking to presspersons here on Thursday said that his association with the Congress has ended and he would resign as an MLC.

Maintaining that he left JD(S) supremo H.D. Deve Gowda for the sake of Siddharamaiah years ago, Ibrahim said that Siddharamaiah should answer why he was not considered for the post.

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Mysuru, Jan. 28- Shri Dharmasthala Manjunatheshwara Institute for Management Development (SDM-IMD), Mysuru, is a recognised centre for conducting Apprenticeship Training for graduates by the Board of Apprenticeship Training, MHRD, Government of India.

SDM-IMD has invited applications from Bachelor of Arts (B.A.), Bachelor of Commerce (B.Com.) and Bachelor of Library and Information Science (B.L.I.Sc.) graduates who have completed the course in the recent 2 years. The selected candidates will be observed as Graduate Apprenticeship Trainees for one year with a monthly stipend of Rs. 9,000.

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For more information, B.A. and B.Com graduates may contact Shashidhar, Coordinator, Academic Administration, on Mob: 99452-73780 and B.L.I.Sc., graduates may contact V. Taramalini, Assistant Librarian, on Mob: 98860-12918.

Veteran journalist E. Somanath passes away

Thiruvananthapuram, Jan. 28 (UNI)- Veteran Journalist and former Senior Special Correspondent of leading Malayala Manorama, E. Somanath passed away, while undergoing treatment for brain hemorrhage, at a private hospital here today. He was 59 and is survived by his wife Radha, daughter Devaki and son-in-law Midhun.

He had retired from *Malayala Manorama* in 2021.

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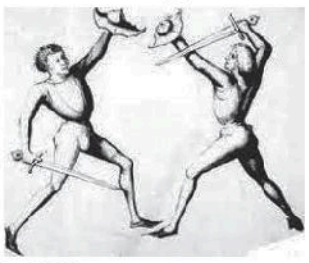


Pronunciation: dair-ing-DOO.
Meaning: Derring-do refers to daring action that requires bravery & courage.
Origin: Derring-do is a quirky holdover from Middle English that came to occupy its present place in the language by a series of mistakes and misunderstandings. In Middle English, dorring don meant simply "daring to do." The phrase was misprinted as derrynge do in a 15th-century work by poet John Lydgate, and Edmund Spenser took it up from there. (A glossary to Spenser's work defined it as "manhood and chevalrie.") Literary author Sir Walter Scott and others brought the noun into modern use.
Example: "With more than 80 pieces of bronze, steel, and iron on display [at The Age of Armor exhibit], it's impossible not to think of stories of gallant knights, courtly love, and brave acts of derring-do." — Jason Webber

THE ODD WORD

Dactyliology

Study of rings.

PHRASE OF THE DAY

A drop in the bucket

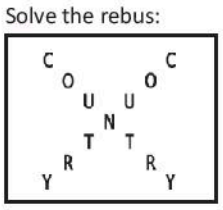
Meaning: The phrase 'A Drop in the Bucket' refers to a very small or unimportant amount.
Origin: Like so many popular phrases and expressions, the origin of the idiom 'a drop in the bucket' can be found in the Bible. This saying can be found in Isaiah 40:15 as: "Behold, the nations are as a drop of the bucket, and are counted as the small dust of the balance: Behold, he taketh up the isles as a very little thing." Interestingly, the idiom 'a drop in the bucket' precedes a related idiom, 'a drop in the ocean,' which is first seen in print in a July 1802 piece written in The Edinburgh Weekly Journal: "The votes for the appointment of Bonaparte to be Chief Consul for life are like a drop in the ocean compared with the aggregate of the population of France."
Example: "What we were paid for our work was a drop in the bucket compared to what the company earned."

QUOTE BOX

Advertising is the rattling of a stick inside a swill bucket. **—George Orwell**

RIDDLE THIS

Solve the rebus:



Answer: Cross country.

CROSS WORD

ACROSS:
1 Persia today
5 Rock group ___ Leppard
8 Nav. readings
12 Very scarce
13 Rock music style
14 Delightfully pretty
15 Attitude-Heading Ref. Sys.
16 Russian space station
17 Norse saint
18 As being (Latin)
19 Suitable for employment? (3,3,3)
21 Pakistan's intelligence agency
23 Female sheep
24 Great ash tree
28 Apply lubricants to
31 "I ran" anagram for a man's pet name?
32 Illuminated
33 Belonging to you and me?
34 Footlike organ
35 Kept at it
37 In place of
38 Limited in short?
39 Exoneration
44 Cereal grass
47 Human spirit
48 Irregular, abbr.
49 Not all
50 Drudgery or hard work
51 Actress ___ Peeples
52 By word of mouth
53 Children's 'spotting' game (1,3)
54 Lump
55 Athlete P.T. __

DOWN
1 Basra's country
2 Ketu's counterpart in Indian folklore?
3 Accuses, indicts
4 Video game mfr.
5 A word meaning 'half'
6 Send forth
7 Gives up
8 Twenty
9 Enterprise helmsman
10 Greek letters - "seat" changed?
11 Golfer Ballesteros
19 Evergreen tree
20 As wise as an ___?
22 Star Wars, initially
24 Bark in a rather high-pitched way
25 Grad. Rec. Exam.
26 Rousing to vigilance
27 Schoolmaster's title
28 Alfresco
29 Wrath or anger
30 Psychedelic drug
33 The German for 'east'
35 Hawaiian food
36 In need of a doctor?
37 Entirely
39 Sparkling wine - "I sat" anagram?
40 Makes loving sound
41 Witty remark
42 A group of three; a threesome
43 Saudi resident
45 Chinese nursemaid
46 Weblike membrane
49 Old French coin

TUESDAY'S ANSWER

			D	I	S	C		H	A	R	E	M
T	U	N	I	S	I	A		A	D	E	L	E
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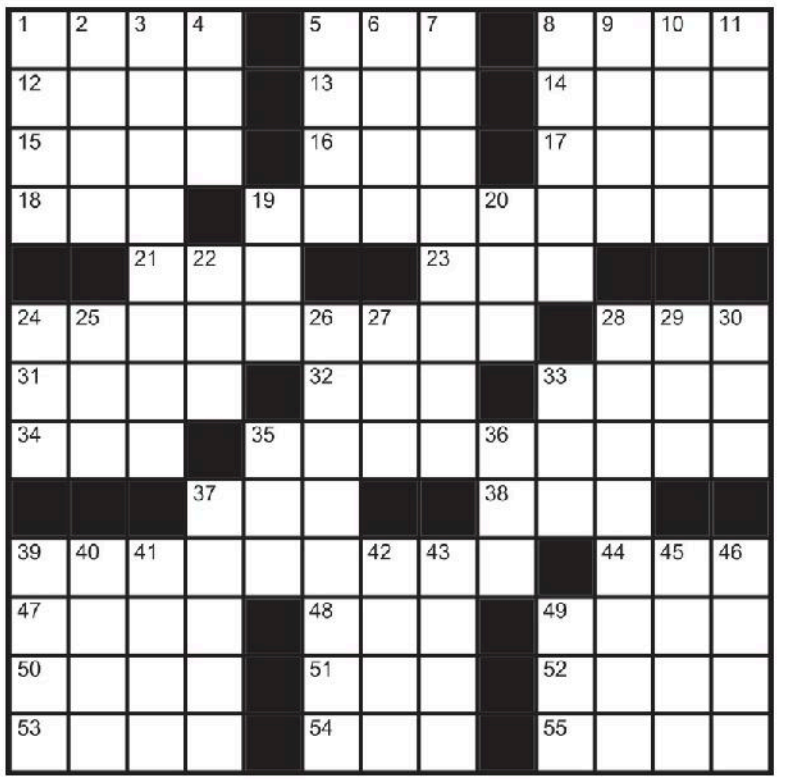

SUDOKU

1			8					
2				3	9		8	
3			1			5	4	
						6		
7	9						5	8
		3						
	8	6			2			1
	1		5	6				4
					1			5

Answer to previous puzzle

8	5	6	7	1	2	4	3	9
1	7	2	4	9	3	8	6	5
9	4	3	6	8	5	1	7	2
3	8	7	9	2	6	5	4	1
4	6	5	8	7	1	9	2	3
2	9	1	5	3	4	7	8	6
7	2	8	3	5	9	6	1	4
6	1	9	2	4	8	3	5	7
5	3	4	1	6	7	2	9	8

Sudoku is a number-placing puzzle based on a 9x9 grid with several given numbers. The object is to place the numbers 1 to 9 in the empty squares so that each row, each column and each 3x3 box contains the same number only once. The difficulty level of the Concept is Sudoku increases from Monday to Sunday.

CRYPTOQUIP

The Cryptoquip is a substitution cipher in which one letter stands for another. If you think that X equals O, it will equal O throughout the puzzle. Single letters, short words and words using an apostrophe give you clues to locating vowels. Solution is by trial and error.

MQ XKFQYK RIRNK QJ MSK CQUUTXTVTML QJ

MSK UKRNFS TU MQ XK QHMQ UQYKMSTHP.

TODAY'S CLUE: P EQUALS G

Tuesday's Cryptoquip: Blessed is the man that endureth temptation: for when he is tried, he shall receive the crown of life.

NOW SHOWING - MOVIES

- **Gayathri Theatre** Ph: 2443568
  Ombattane Dikku (K) - 4 Shows
- **Mahadeshwara Theatre** Mob: 9900820093
  Ombattane Dikku (K)- 4 Shows
- **Sangam Theatre** Ph: 2520494
  Ombattane Dikku (K)- 4 Shows
- **Padma Theatre** Ph: 2521923
  Good Luck Sakhi (Te) - 4 Shows
- **Lido Theatre** Ph: 2420885
  Salaga (K) - 4 Shows
- **Woodlands Theatre** Ph: 2422871
  Badava Rascal (K)- 4 Shows
- **Rajkamal Theatre** Ph: 2423554
  DNA (K) - 4 Shows
- **Balaji Theatre** Ph: 2497199
  Pushpa: The Rise (H) - 3 Shows

DRC CINEMAS — Ph: 4240422, 4241800

DNA - Dhruva Nakshathra Akasha (K)	(S-1)	1.15 pm
	(S-3)	10.15 am
Spider-Man: No Way Home (3D-E)	(S-1)	4.00 pm
Hridayam (Ma)	(S-1)	6.55 pm; (S-3) 3.45 pm
Badava Rascal (K)	(S-2)	10.45 am
Ombatthane Dikku (K)	(S-2)	1.30 pm, 4.10 pm, 7.00 pm
Sila Nerangalil Sila Manidhargal (Ta)	(S-3)	1.00 pm
83 (H)	(S-3)	7.00 pm
Good Luck Sakhi (Te)	(S-4)	4.15 pm, 7.00 pm

INOX LIVE THE MOVIE — Ph: 2533444 / 2533456

Scream 5 (E)	(S-2)	10.30 am, 3.55 pm, 6.40 pm
Good Luck Sakhi (Te)	(S-2)	1.10 pm
DNA - Dhruva Nakshathra Akasha (K)	(S-3)	3.10 pm
Ombatthane Dikku (K)	(S-3)	6.20 pm
	(S-4)	11.25 am
Hridayam (Ma)	(S-1)	10.40 am, 2.20 pm
	(S-4)	5.40 pm
Spider-Man: No Way Home (3D-E)	(S-1)	6.00 pm
83 (H)	(S-3)	11.35 am
Sila Nerangalil Sila Manidhargal (Ta)	(S-4)	2.35 pm

PVR CINEMAS

Forum Centre City Mall, 2nd Floor. Mob: 8951357139

Hridayam (Ma)	:	11.00 am, 2.35 pm, 6.10 pm
Scream -2022 (E)	:	11.15 am, 4.50 pm, 7.25 pm
Ombatthane Dikku (K)	:	12.35 pm, 6.40 pm
Badava Rascal (K)	:	12.40 pm
DNA (K)	:	1.50 pm
Spider-Man: No Way Home (E-3D)	:	3.30 pm
Good Luck Sakhi (Te)	:	3.35 pm
Sila Nerangalil Sila Manithargal (Ta)	:	6.15 pm

1st Floor, Garuda Mall. Mob: 9901373210

Hridayam (Ma)	:	11.15 am, 2.50 pm, 6.25 pm
Pushpa - The Rise: Part 1 (K)	:	12.00 noon
Bangarraju (Te)	:	12.10 pm
Sila Nerangalil Sila Manithargal (Ta)	:	3.30 pm
Ombatthane Dikku (K)	:	3.40 pm
Badava Rascal (K)	:	6.30 pm
DNA (K)	:	6.35 pm

MYSURU VISION CINEMAS — Ph: 0821 - 2973519

Ombatthane Dikku (K)	(S-1)	10.45 am
	(S-4)	4.00 pm
		6.45 pm
DNA (K)	(S-1)	1.30 pm
		4.30 pm

NOTE: Movie timings published here are subject to sudden change by the theatre managements. The films are also liable to be changed in multiplexes if there are no minimum audience of 15 to the film announced here.

Online concert tomorrow

Ashwini *Krithik* *Vikram*

Mysuru, Jan. 28- Sri Thyagaraja Sangeetha Sabha Charitable Trust, Mysuru, will be presenting a vocal concert by Vidu. Ashwini Kolikkaje from Kasaragod, under the 'Yuva Sangeetha Sambhrama' series, aimed at showcasing young talented musicians. The online concert will be premiered on Saturday (Jan. 29) at 5 pm on Sabha's YouTube channel.

Vidu. Ashwini learnt music from her parents, Vid. Balasubrahmanya Bhat and Vidu. Shubha B.S. Bhat. Now she is mentored by Vidu. Koviladi R. Kala.

Vid.Krithik Koushik, disciple of Vid. H.K. Narasimhamurthy and Vid. Y.P. Vikram Bharadwaj, a disciple of Vid. P.G. Laksminarayana and Vid. Tumkur B. Ravishankar, will accompany her on violin and mridanga respectively. Music-lovers are requested to watch the concert by visiting Sabha's YouTube channel at Sri ThyagarajaSangeetha Sabha Charitable Trust and support the young artistes.

Tarunabharathi concerts to be held at Ganabharathi on Jan. 29 and 30

Amogha *Vishwambhara* *Samrudh* *Shruthi* *Vikram*

Manya *Prerana* *Prithvi* *Amogha Nadadur* *Nandan*

Mysuru, Jan. 28- Ganabharathi has organised Tarunabharathi music concerts on Jan.29 and 30 at 6 pm at Veene Seshanna Bhavana in Kuvempunagar.

On 29th, there will be a vocal duet by Amogh Kashyap and Vishwambhara R. Bhagawath at 6 pm and this will be followed by a flute recital by Samrudh at 7.15 pm. For both the concerts, violin and mridanga support would be provided by Shruthi and Vikram Bharadwaj respectively.

On 30th, there will be vocal duet by Manya and Prerana at 6 pm, followed by vocal concert by Prithvi Bhaskar at 7.15 pm.

For both the concerts violin and mridanga support would be provided by Amogh Nadadur and Nandan Kashyap respectively. All the connoisseurs are welcome to the concert, according to a press release from A. Radhesh, Member, Ganabharathi.

EVENTS TODAY (JAN. 28)

- **Sri Prasanna Vidya Ganapathi Mandali Charitable (SPVGMC) Trust:** 60th Heritage Music Festival, Vocal Duet by Trichur Brothers — Vid. Ramkumar Mohan and Krishna Mohan accompanied by Vid. L. Ramakrishnan on violin, Vid. Trichur Mohan on mridanga and Vid. B.S. Purushotam on kanjira, 8th Cross, V.V. Mohalla, **6.15 pm.**

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Tomorrow's Match (JAN. 29)

Gujarat Giants Vs **Dabang Delhi** 7.30 pm

Telugu Titans Vs **Bengal Warriors** 8.30 pm

Yesterday's Results

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Lose to
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